

AP3 Rec'd PCT/PTO 02 MAY 2006

PCT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

First Named  
Inventor : Herbert Meyerle

Appln. No. : 10/556,012

Filed : November 8, 2005

For : MOVEMENT TRANSMISSION  
DEVICE AND METHOD

Docket No.: S118.12-0006

Group Art Unit: ---

Examiner:

**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PAPER IS BEING  
SENT BY U.S. MAIL, FIRST CLASS, TO THE  
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O. BOX 1450,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450, THIS

27 DAY OF April, 2006  
  
PATENT ATTORNEY

Sir:

The patents or publications listed on the enclosed PTO Form-1449 are submitted pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.97. Copies of the patents or publications cited are enclosed.

**TIME OF FILING**

The information disclosure statement is being filed:

1. x 1. Within three month of the filing date of a national application other than a Continued Prosecution Application (CPA);
  2. Within three months of the date of entry of the National Stage international application;
  3. Before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits; or
  4. Before the mailing of a first Office Action after the filing of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE).
- 
2.      after the time period specified in paragraph 1 above, but before the mailing date of a final action under 37 C.F.R. § 1.113 or notice of allowance under 37 C.F.R. § 1.311. Therefore, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c), submitted herewith is:

(check either A or B below)

- A. ☐ a statement as specified in 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e).
- B. ☐ the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) for submission of an information disclosure statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c).

3. ☐ after the mailing date of either a final action under 37 C.F.R. § 1.113 or a notice of allowance under 37 C.F.R. § 1.311, whichever occurs first, but before payment of the issue fee. Therefore, Applicant petitions for consideration and submits herewith:
- A. a statement as specified in 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e);
  - B. the petition fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p).

**STATEMENT**

(only used if No. 2(A) or No. 3 above is checked)

The person(s) signing below certify

(check appropriate paragraph)

☐ that each item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this statement. 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e)(1).

OR

☐ that no item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application or, to the knowledge of the person signing the certification after making reasonable inquiry, was known to any individual designated in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of this statement. 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(e)(2).

**METHOD OF PAYMENT**

  x   No fee is required.

       Attached is a check in the amount of \$       .

The Director is authorized to charge any fee deficiency required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1123. A duplicate copy of this communication is enclosed.


Respectfully submitted,

WESTMAN, CHAMPLIN & KELLY, P.A.

By: 

Judson K. Champlin, Reg. No. 34,797  
Suite 1400 - International Centre  
900 Second Avenue South  
Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402-3244  
Phone: (612) 334-3222  
Fax: (612) 334-3312

JKC:rev

FORM PTO-1449	Atty. Docket No.: S118.12-0006	Appl. No.: 10/556,012
 <p>LIST OF PATENTS AND PUBLICATIONS FOR APPLICANT'S INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT</p>	First Named Inventor:	
	Herbert Meyerle	
	Filing Date	Group Art:
	November 8, 2005	

## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initial	Document No.	Date	Name	Class	Sub Class	Filing Date If Appropriate
/SB/	AA	6,116,664	9/2000	Wegner	292	216
/SB/	AB	5,826,450	10/1998	Lerchner et al.	70	78.3
	AC					
	AD					
	AE					
	AF					
	AG					
	AH					

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

		Document No.	Date	Country	Class	Sub Class	Translation Yes No
/SB/	AI	DE 196 39 545	12/18/97	Germany			X
	AJ						
	AK						
	AL						
	AM						

## OTHER ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

/SB/	AN	"Notification of Transmittal of Copies of Translation of the International Preliminary Report on Patentability" for International application No. PCT/EP2004/004903, filed May 7, 2004.
EXAMINER: /Suzanne Barrett/		DATE CONSIDERED: 03/31/2009

EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.